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*Stockholm, March* 3, O. S.

ON the 1st Instant his Swedish Majesty went out a hunting, being attended by his Excellency Count Horn, President of the Chancery, at whose Country-Seat in Roslagen the King has taken up his Quarters His Majesty is expected back To-Morrow or Friday. On the 28th past the Russian Minister received Letters from the Czarina, for the King and Queen of Sweden, notifying the Czar's Death and her Accession to the Throne; together with new Credentials continuing him her Minister at this Court. The common Advices from Petersbourg relate, that Prayers were ordered throughout the Russian Monarchy for one whole Year, for the Repose of the Czar's Soul; and at the same time Prayers three times a Day for the Czarina and the young Princesses. When the last Letters came away, the Czar's Body was still exposed to View on a Bed of State of Crimson Velvet with Gold Fringes, for the Muscovites (according to the Custom of that Country) to have Access to kiss his Hand. But the Corpse not being embalmed, it was then ordered to be put into a Leaden Coffin; and great Preparations were making for interring it with all Pomp in the Church of the Garrison at Petersbourg. The Czarina had established four new Councils for the Dispatch of publick Affairs, who are to make Report to her, and to receive her final Determination on all that Passes.

*Dresden, March* 21, *N. S.* Mr. Finch His Britannick Majesty's Minister, and M. Bulau the Prussian Minister, are frequently in Conference with the King of Poland's Ministers, for obtaining Redress of the Infractions of the Treaty of Oliva; and are expecting his Polish Majesty's Resolutions on the Representations which they have made on that Subject. Prince Dolgoruki arrived here the 18th Instant, to notify from the Czarina the Czar's Death and her Accession to the Throne. Last Week arrived here M. Coppel, with the Character of Resident from the Landgrave of Hesse-Cassel.

*Hague, March* 30, *N. S.* The States General have received a Letter from the Czarina, notifying to them the Death of the Czar and her Accession to the Throne. Prince Kourakin, who is now at Paris, has sent hither new Credentials that he had received from the Czarina, by which he is continued her Ambassadour to their High Mightinesses. The Squadron appointed for this Year's Service in the Mediterranean, being now in Readiness, M. Somerdyck who commands it, sets out from hence the 2d of next Month, in order to go on board and put to Sea from the Texel.

*Whitehall, March* 22.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint James Reynolds, Esq; Serjeant at Law, to be one of the Justices of His Majesty's Court of King's Bench, in the Room of the Right Honourable the Lord Chief Justice Raymond.

Whitehall, Feb. 3, 1724.

*Whereas His Majesty's Exchequer was broke open between Monday Noon and this Morning, and a considerable Sum of Money was taken out of the Office of the Right Honourable the Lord William Powlet: This is to give Notice, That if any Person concerned in the said Felony, or being any ways privy thereto, by advising or contriving the same, will surrender himself and make a free Discovery of his Accomplice or Accomplices, so as they or any one of them shall be apprehended and convicted for the same, such Person, whether concerned in the said Felony, or in advising, contriving or being privy thereto, shall have His Majesty's most gracious Pardon; and as a further Encouragement shall have a Reward of One Thousand Pounds, to be paid by the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury. And if any other Person or Persons shall discover, apprehend, and convict any Person or Persons concerned in the said Felony, he or they shall receive the like Reward of One Thousand Pounds, to be paid in like Manner.*

TOWNSHEND.

South-Sea House, London, March 18, 1724-5.

*The Court of Directors of the South-Sea Company give Notice, That the South-Sea Annuity Transfer Books will be shut on Tuesday the 23d Instant, in order to make out the Warrants for the Half-Year's Annuity due at Lady-Day next; and that the same will be opened again on Thursday the 22d of April next. They further give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at the South-Sea House in Broad-street, London, on Thursday the 25th Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, being one of the Half-Yearly General Courts appointed by the Charter.*

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